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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Kazunori SHIMADA ) Group Art Unit: 1723  
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Application No.: 10/021,029 ) Examiner: K. MENON  
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Filed: December 19, 2001 )  
) Confirmation No.: 9552  
For: ANTIBACTERIAL MEMBER, )  
METHOD OF PREPARING THE )  
SAME, ANTIBACTERIAL FILTER )  
AND ANTIBACTERIAL )  
CONTAINER )

MAIL STOP AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of May 17, 2005. A fee of \$510.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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